PETITION FOR ZONING VARIANCE \* E/S Franklin Blvd. 200 ft. NE of c/l Tarragon Road ZONING COMMISSIONER Cherry Croft 4th Election District OF BALTIMORE COUNTY 3rd Councilmanic District Case Nos. 93 205-A J.F.O. Holding Corporation Petitioner \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \*

## FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAN

This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner as a Petition for Zoning Variance for that residential/condominium development known as Cherry Croft located near the intersections of Franklin Boulevard and Tarragon Road near Reisterstown. Within the Petition, relief is sought, for all proposed condominium buildings, from Section 1801.2.C.6 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) and Section V.B.6.a of the Comprehensive Manual of Development Policy (C.M.D.P.) to permit a window to right of way distance of 13 ft., in lieu of the required 25 ft. Also, for four of the proposed buildings, identified as buildings 2, 4, 5 and 7, a variance from Section 1801.2.C.6 of the B.C.Z.R. and V.B.1 of the C.M.D.P. is requested to permit a building to center line distance of 53 ft., in lieu of the required 55 ft. Lastly, for all buildings, a variance is sought from Section 1B01.2.C.2.b of the B.C.Z.R. and V.B.6.C of the C.M.D.P. to permit window to window setbacks of 35 ft., in lieu of the required 40 ft. All of the relief is more particularly shown on Petitioner's Exhibit No. 1, the plat to accompany the Petition for Zoning Variance.

Appearing at the public hearing held for this case was Mark A. Kromm, a representative of W. Duvall and Associates, Inc. This engineering firm prepared the plat to accompany the Petition for Variance. Further, the

Petitioner was represented by Lloyd J. Hammond, Esquire. There were no Protestants present.

Testimony and evidence presented was that this project has been in development for several years. The initial C.R.G. approval for the plan was given on April 10, 1986. Subsequently, the development plan was amended and the First Amended Plan approved on January 19, 1990. Further, a revised First Amended Plan was approved on March 12, 1991. Although the plan has obtained all necessary approvals through the development process, the matter now comes before me for the zoning variances as set forth

As to the property, it is a substantial tract located near Reisterstown. The Developer proposes improving same by constructing seven (7) condominium unit buildings. Six (6) of the buildings will house twelve (12) units and the seventh, will house five (5) units. Further, an existing building containing two (2) units will remain. Other structures presently on the site will be razed. All told, seventy-nine (79) condominium units will be available.

Mr. Kromm noted that, under the current Comprehensive Manual of Development Policy, the variances would not be necessary. However, in that this project is governed by the manual in effect at the time of its development plan approval, compliance with the old standards is required. These old standards mandate these variances. Mr. Kromm further testified that the variances were necessary to achieve the desired scheme of development and layout on the property. That is, the requested setback variances are necessary in order to properly place the condominium dwellings on the site in a manner most consistent with an orderly traffic pattern and to promote an appropriate land use plan. Further, it is noted that there are certain

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site constraints, including an existing stream, and required forest buffer and wetlands, which necessitate the variances.

Based upon the testimony and evidence presented at the hearing, all of which was uncontradicted, in the opinion of the Zoning Commissioner the relief requested sufficiently complies with the requirements of Section 307 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) and, therefore, should be granted. There is no evidence in the record that the subject variance would adversely affect the health, safety and/or general welfare of the public. Furthermore, strict compliance with the B.C.Z.R. would result in practical difficulty and/or unreasonable hardship upon the Peti-

Having granted the variances, a comment is in order regarding the Zoning Plans Advisory Committee comment received from the Bureau of Traffic Engineering. Within this comment, it is requested that a right of way for the public road west of Tarragon Road be increased from the 44 ft. shown to a 50 ft. distance. Correspondence received subsequent from the hearing from the Project Engineer indicated that this issue requires additional analysis. Specifically, apparently environmental and other site constraints have been raised by the Developers Engineering Division and the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management which might require the right of way to remain at 44 ft. Based on the need for the continued analysis, I will not require incorporation of the Zoning Plan and Advisory Committee comment in the plan. Rather, I hereby direct that the Engineer continue to work with the involved County agencies, including the Bureau of Traffic Engineering, to reach an appropriate compromise satisfactory to each of those agencies.

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property, and public hearing on this Petition held, and for the reasons given above, the relief requested should be granted.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this day of March, 1993 that a variance from Section 1B01.2.C.6 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) and Section V.B.6.a of the Comprehensive Manual of Development Policy (C.M.D.P.) to permit a window to right of way distance of 13 ft., in lieu of the required 25 ft., be and is hereby GRANTED; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that for four of the proposed buildings, identified as Buildings 2, 4, 5 and 7, a variance from Section 1801.2.C.6 of the B.C.Z.R. and V.B.1 of the C.M.D.P. to permit a building to center line distance of 53 ft., in lieu of the required 55 ft., be and is hereby GRANT-ED; and.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that for all buildings, a variance from Section 1B01.2.C.2.b of the B.C.Z.R. and V.B.6.C of the C.M.D.P. to permit window to window setbacks of 35 ft., in lieu of the required 40 ft., be and is hereby GRANTED, subject, however, to the following restriction which are conditions precedent to the relief granted herein:

> The Petitioner may apply for its building permit and be granted same upon receipt of this Order; however, Petitioner is hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at its own risk until such time as the 30 day appellate process from this Order has expired. If, for whatever reason, this Order is reversed, the Petitioner would be required to return, and be responsible for returning, said property to its original condition.

> > Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

LES/mmn

**Baltimore County Government** Zoning Commissioner Office of Planning and Zoning

Suite 113 Courthouse 400 Washington Avenue Towson, MD 21204

(410) 887-4386

March 2, 1993

Lloyd Hammond, Esquire 616 Main Street P.O. Box 569 Reisterstown, Maryland 21136

> RE: Case No. 93-205-A Petition for Variance J.F.O. Holding Corporation, Petitioner

Dear Mr. Hammond:

Enclosed please find the decision rendered in the above captioned case. The Petition for Variance has been granted, with restriction, in accordance with the attached Order.

In the event the decision rendered is unfavorable to any party, please be advised that any party may file an appeal within thirty (30) days of the date of the Order to the County Board of Appeals. If you require additional information concerning filing an appeal, please feel free to contact our Appeals Clerk at 887-3391.

Very truly yours,

Lawrence E. Schmidt Zoning Commissioner

LES:mmn cc: Mark A. Kromm W. Duvall and Assoc., Inc. DEC 18 192 15455 N DUMPH \$588-1518--Petition for Variance to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County for the property located at Franklin Boulevard & Tarragon Road which is presently zoned DR-5.5 This Petition shall be filed with the Office of Zoning Administration & Development Management The undersigned, legal owner(s) of the property situate in Baltimore County and which is described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a Variance from Section(s) See Attachment "A" of the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to the Zoning Law of Baltimore County, for the following reasons: (indicate hardship or To Be Discussed At Hearing Property is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by Zoning Regulations. I, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Variance advertising, posting, etc., upon filing of this petition, and further agree to and are to be bound by the zoning regulations and restrictions of Baltimore County adopted pursuant to the Zoning Law for Baltimore County. I/We do solemnly declare and affirm, under the panaltes of perjury, that I/we are the legal owner(s) of the property which is the subject of this Petition. Engineer W. Duvall & Associates, Inc. J.F.O. Holding Corporation (Type ix Print Name) P.O. Box 295 833-1187 Owings Mills, Maryland 21117 Name, Address and phone number of legal owner, contact purchaser or representative J.F.O. Holding Corporation John F. Owings, Jr. Reisterstown, Maryland 21136 P.O. Box 295; Owings Mills, Maryland 21117 Phone No. 833-1187 OFFICE USE ONLY ESTIMATED LENGTH OF HEARING **L**è REVIEWED BY: J C M DATE 12-21-92

ATTACHMENT "A" 93-205-A

All Buildings

Variance from Sections 1801.2.C.6 (B.C.Z.R.) and V.B.6.a (C.M.D.P.) to permit a window to Right of Way distance of 13 feet in lieu of the required 25 feet.

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Variance from Section 1B01.2.C.2.b (VB.6.C. CMDP) to permit window to window setbacks of 35 ft. in lieu of the required 40 ft.

W. DUVALL & ASSOCIATES, INC.

Engineers • Surveyors • Land Planners ZONING DESCRIPTION "CHERRY CROFT" 4TH ELECTION DISTRICT BALITMORE COUNTY MARYLAND

BEGINNING for the same at a point South 30 degrees East 200 feet, more or less from the centerline intersection of Franklin Boulevard and Tarragon Road at a point on the Southeasternmost side of West Cherry Hill Road (Right-of-Way 83-342); thence running the following courses and distances, viz:

- 1. By a curve to the right having a radius of 760.00 feet and an arc length of 327.24 feet; thence
- 2. North 58 degrees 24 minutes 42 seconds West 127.58 feet to the Southwesternmost side of Franklin Boulevard; thence binding thereon
- 3. North 60 degrees 39 minutes 30 seconds East 5.98 feet; thence 4. By a curve to the left having a radius of 1304.00 feet and an arc
- length of 182.69 feet; thence 5. By a curve to the left having a radius of 310.00 feet and an arc
- length of 87.52 feet; thence 6. By a curve to the right having a radius of 290.00 feet and an arc
- length of 37.98 feet; thence North 43 degrees 57 minutes 48 seconds East 71.41 feet; thence
- 8. By a curve to the left having a radius of 1287.50 feet and an arc length of 102.75 feet thence leaving said Franklin Boulevard
- South 54 degrees 17 minutes 07 seconds East 290.40 feet; thence 10. North 41 degrees 04 minutes 59 seconds East 316.01 feet; thence
- 11. South 48 degrees 55 minutes 01 seconds East 264.02 feet; thence
- 12. South 24 degrees 06 minutes 04 seconds West 421.08 feet; thence 13. North 61 degrees 50 minutes 31 seconds West 115.25 feet; thence
- 14. South 38 degrees 04 minutes 07 seconds West 291.15 feet; thence 15. South 01 degrees 27 minutes 46 seconds East 300.03 feet to intersect the Northeasternmost right-of-way line of Presgraves Road (Right-of-
- Way 83-342); thence binding thereon 16. By a curve to the left having a radius of 1025.00 feet and an arc length of 197.71 feet; thence leaving said road
- 17. North 57 degrees 49 minutes 33 seconds West 596.62 feet to the point of beginning.

CONTAINING 13.206 acres of land, more or less.

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530 East Joppa Road/Towson, Maryland 21286/(410) 583-9571

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## CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that the annexed advertisement was published in THE JEFFERSONIAN, a weekly newspaper published in Towson, Baltimore County, Md., once in each of \_\_\_\_ successive weeks, the first publication appearing on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 19 93

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Baltimore County Government Office of Zoning Administration

January 19, 1993

Baltimore County Government Office of Zoning Administration

and Development Management

(410) 887-3353

RE: Case No. 93-205-A, Item No. 213 Petitioner: J. F. O. Holding Corp., et al Petition for Variance

Dear Mr. Hammond:

616 Main Street

P.O. Box 569

Lloyd Hammond, Esquire

Reisterstown, MD 21136

111 West Chesapeake Avenue

Towson, MD 21204

The Zoning Plans Advisory Committee (ZAC) has reviewed the plans submitted with the above referenced petition. The attached comments from each reviewing agency are not intended to indicate the appropriateness of the zoning action requested, but to assure that all parties, i.e. Zoning Commissioner, attorney and/or the petitioner, are made aware of plans or problems with regard to the proposed improvements that may have a bearing on this case.

Enclosed are all comments submitted thus far from the members of ZAC that offer or request information on your petition. If additional comments are received from other members of ZAC, I will forward them to you. Otherwise, any comment that is not informative will be placed in the hearing file. This petition was accepted for filing on the date of the enclosed filing certificate and a hearing scheduled accordingly.

The following comments are related only to the filing of future zoning petitions and are aimed at expediting the petition filing process with this office.

The Director of Zoning Administration and Development Management has instituted a system whereby seasoned zoning attorneys who feel that they are capable of filing petitions that comply with all aspects of the zoning regulations and petitions filing requirements can file their petitions with this office without the necessity of a preliminary review by Zoning personnel.

and Development Management

111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204

(410) 887-3353

Your petition has been received and accepted for filing this

21st day of December 1992.

Petitioner: J. F. O. Holding Corp., et al

Baltimore County Government Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management

is due for advertising and posting of the above captioned

THIS FEE MUST BE PAID AND THE ZONING SIGN & POST SET(S) RETURNED ON THE DAY OF THE HEARING OR THE ORDER

Please forward your check via return mail to the Zoning Office, County Office Building, 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue, Room 109, Towson, Maryland 21204. Place the case number on the check and make some payable to Baltimore County, Maryland. In order to avoid delay of the issuance of proper credit and/or

SHALL NOT ISSUE. DO NOT REMOVE THE SIGN & POST SET(S) FROM THE PROPERTY UNTIL THE DAY OF THE HEARING.

111 West Chesapeake Avenue

J.F.O. Holding Corporation

Owings Hills, Maryland 21117

CASE NUMBER: 93-205-A (Item 213)

4th Election District - 3rd Councilmanic Petitioner(s): J.F.O. Holding Corporation

E/S Franklin Boulevard, 200' ME of c/l Tarragon Road

your Order, immediate attention to this matter is suggested.

DPW/Developers Engineering Division (Public Services)

Waiver Number

Authorized signature Denie A. Kenned Date 1/11/93

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Development Review Committee Response Form

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√ J.F.O. Holding Corporation

File Number

HEARING: TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1993 at 11:30 a.m. in Rm. 118, Old Courthouse.

P. O. Box 295

Dear Petitioner(s):

property and hearing date.

Towson, MD 21204

(410) 887-3353

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Meeting Date

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111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204

Baltimore County Government Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management

(410) 887-3353

The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, by authority of the Zoning Act and Regulations of Baltimore County will hold a public hearing on the property identified herein in Room 106 of the County Office Building, 111 W. Chesapsake Avenue in Towson, Haryland 21204

NOTICE OF HEARING

Room 118, Old Courthouse, 400 Washington Avenue, Towson, Haryland 21204 as follows:

CASE NUMBER: 93-205-A (Item 213) E/S Franklin Boulevard, 200' NE of c/l Tarragon Road Cherry Croft 4th Election District - 3rd Councilmanic Petitioner(s): J.F.O. Holding Corporation HEARING: TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1993 at 11:30 a.m. in Rm. 118, Old Courthouse.

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cc: J. F. O. Holding Corporation Lloyd Harmond, Esq. W. Duvall & Associates

MOTE: HEARINGS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS PLEASE CALL 887-3353.

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO: Arnold Jablon, Director Zoning Administration and Development Management

DATE: January 22, 1993

Pat Keller, Deputy Director Office of Planning and Zoning

Petitions from Zoning Advisory Committee (11 and 19, 1993)

The Office of Planning and Zoning has no comments on the following petition(s):

J.F.O. Holding Corporation, Item No. 213 Bell Atlantic Mobile Systems, Item No. 219 Goucher Woods Development, Inc., Item No. 229

If there should be any further questions or if this office can provide additional information, please contact Francis Morsey in the Office of Planning at 887-3211.

Division Chief:

PK/FM: rdn

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Petitioner's Attorney: Lloyd Hammond

Pickersgill, Inc.

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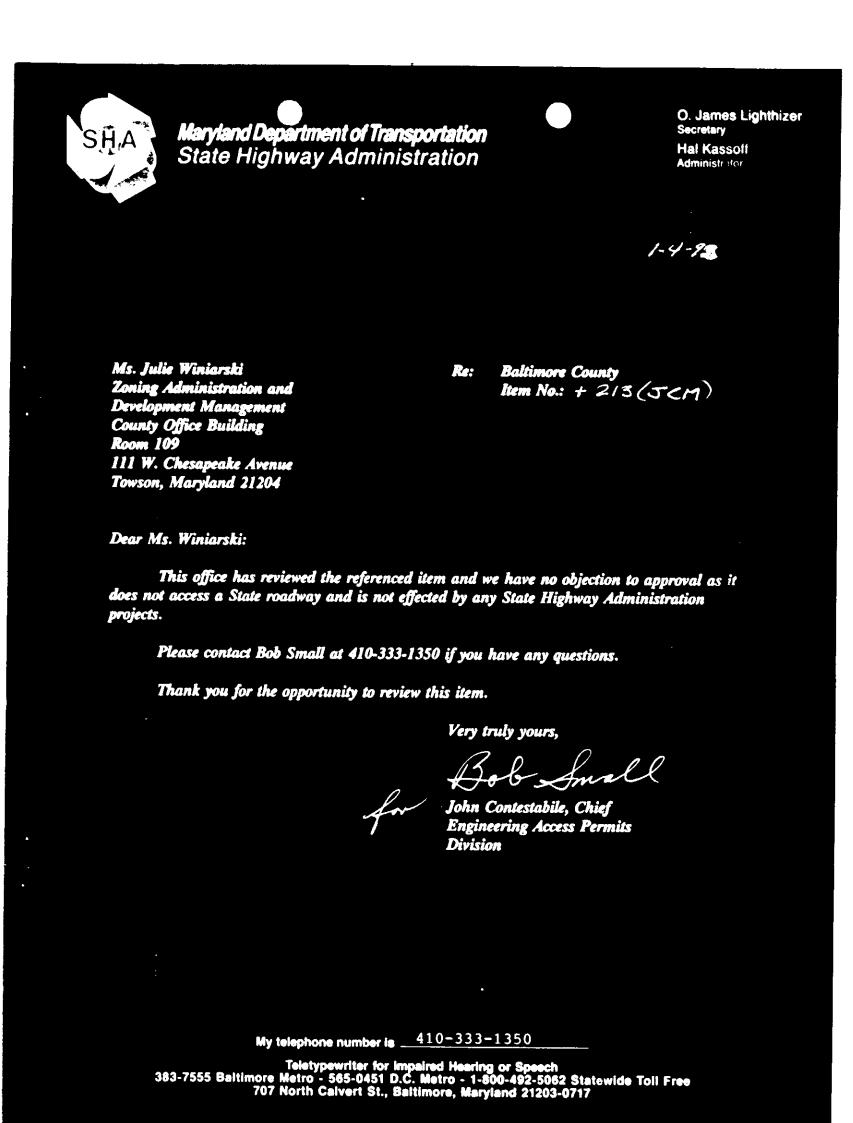
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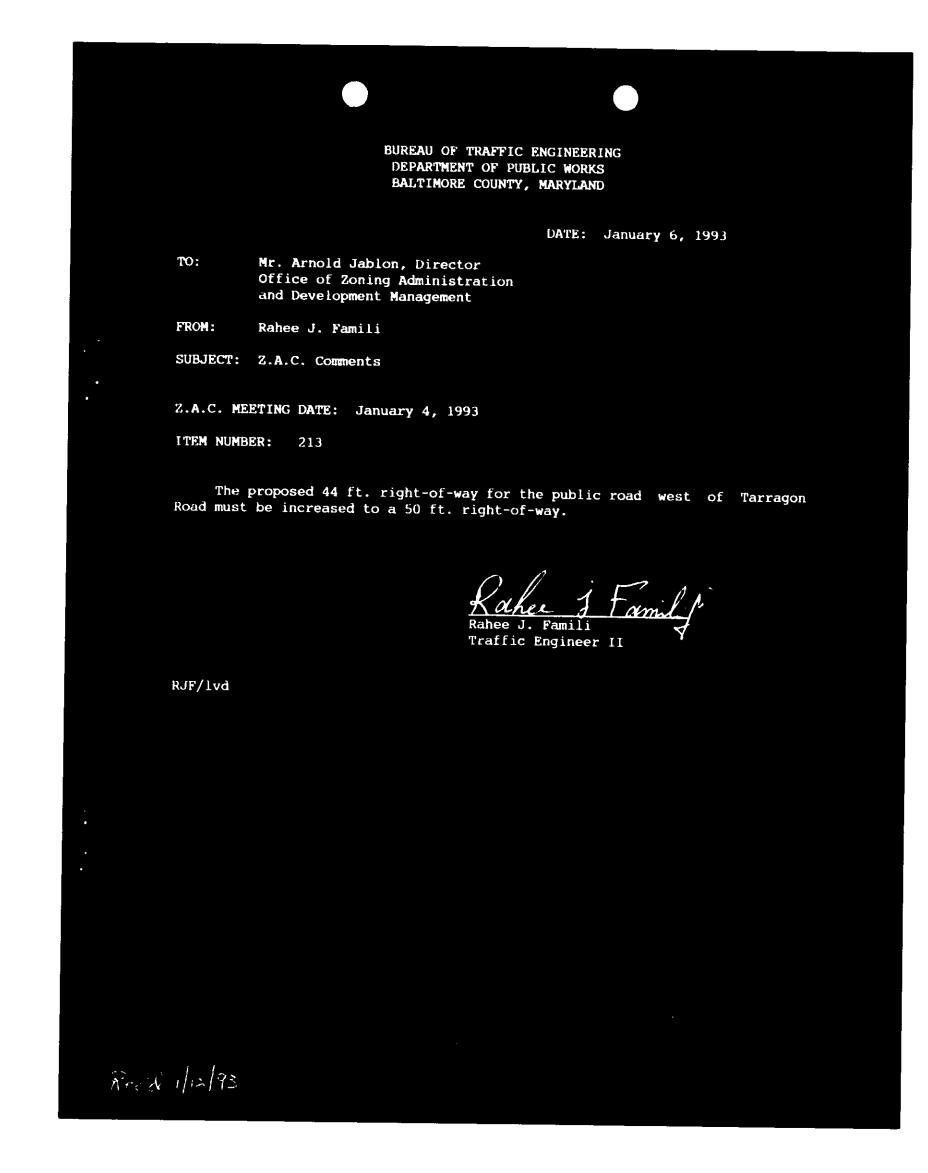
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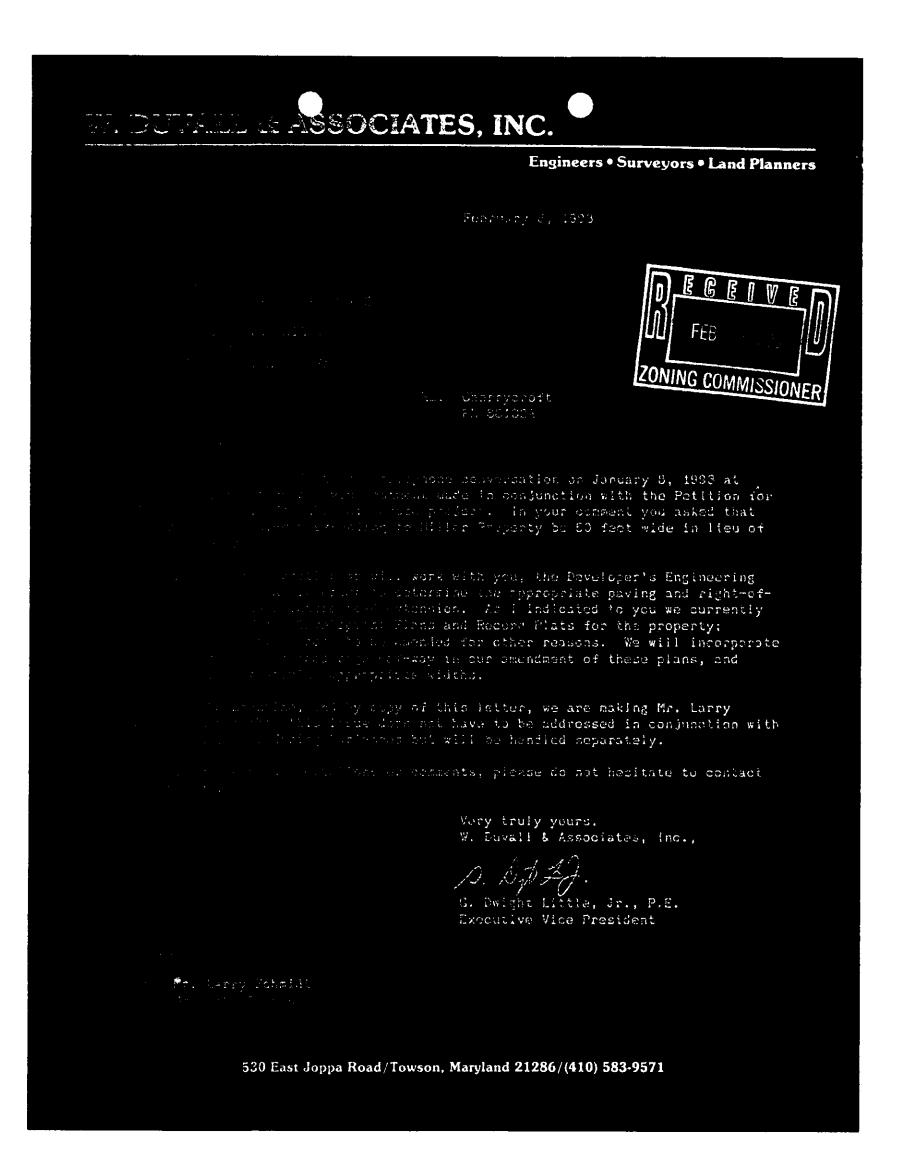
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	DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT  INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE			
i	TO: Mr. Arnold Jablon, Director DATE: January 13, 1993 Zoning Administration and Development Management			
	FROM: J. Lawrence Pilson C. DEPRM  Development Coordinator, DEPRM			
	SUBJECT: Zoning Item #213			
	Franklin Boulevard & Tarragon Road Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of January 4, 1993			
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	The Department of Control			
	The Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management offers the following comments on the above referenced zoning item.			
	Development of the property must comply with the Regulations for the Protection of Water Quality, Streams, Wetlands and Floodplains.			
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	Baltimore County Government
	Fire Department
	700 East Joppa Road Suite 901 Towson, MD 21286 5500 JANUARY 12, 1993 (410) 882 4500
	Arnold Jablon Director Zoning Administration and Development Management Baltimore County Office Building Towson, MD 21204
	RE: Property Owner: J.F.C. POLDING COPPORATION
	Location: CHEPPY CROFT
	Item No.: +213(JCM) Zoning Agenda: JANUAFY 4, 1993
	Gentlemen:
	Pursuant to your request, the referenced property has been surveyed by this Bureau and the comments below are applicable and required to be corrected or incorporated into the final plans for the property.
	7. The Fire Prevention Bureau has no comments at this time.
	Planning Coup Noted and Approved Direction Division
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PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY PETITIONER(S) SIGN-IN SHEET				
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LLOYD J. Hammond	616 MININ ST 21136.			

FRANKLIN BOULEVARD & TARRAGON ROAD WEST #107 EXISTING DWLG. N. 4236/07 W 18:00 SSS 18: EX DRAINAGE & UTILITY EASEMENT (RW 84-325-7) 6968/052 -EXISTING TRIPLE DI-G"(X6'-5) STRUCTURAL PLATE PIFE ARCH COLVERTS DWG # 35-0013 EXISTING! PWELLING N 40'31'31" E N 42'16'32" E 35.96' N 63'15'03" E 34.80' 20.98'3 N 31'09'47'E 40.25' PLAT TWO "HATHAWAY" 30/148 LOCAL OPEN SPACE EX. STREAM FOREST BUFFER
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NB4"56'57"E, ZI.07' LOCAL OPEN SPACE S 24'06'04" W 421.08 421.08 2 UTILITY & DRAINAGE RESERVATION CHARLES M. KNOCK, JR. 4873/705 - EX.50' R/W (RW "66-032)

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AT TO ACCOMPANY ZONING VABI

"CHEBBY CBOFT"

) 4-TH ELECTION DISTRICT BALTO. CO. MD. SCALE I" = 50' DECEMBER 19, 1992 3 BD COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT

W. DUVALL & ASSOCIATES, INC.

ENGINEERS . SURVEYORS . LAND PLANNERS

530 EAST JOPPA ROAD

TOWSON, MARYLAND 21286

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